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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (hereinafter referred to as the "Notice") mailed on October 18, 2001, Applicants submit the following items for completion of this application:

- 1. [X] A return copy of the Notice;
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney document, executed by each of the above-named inventors (9 pages);
- [X] An assignment, executed by each of the above-named inventors, for recordation in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (7 pages, including Recordation Form Cover Sheet);
- 4. [X] A check in the amount of \$2,086.00 in payment of the filing and recordation fees (as estimated on the attached **Fee Computation Sheet**), including the surcharge set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(I); and
- 5. [X] An Information Disclosure Statement (3 pages), including Form PTO-1449 (2 pages).

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Respectfully submitted,

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